

REMARKS

Reconsideration of this application as amended is respectfully requested.

A response after the final office action was filed August 19, 2003. Subsequently, a notice of abandonment was issued and a petition for withdrawal of the abandonment was denied. Applicant hereby submits a petition to revive the present application. Applicant respectfully requests the Examiner to reconsider the amendment and remarks filed August 19, 2003.

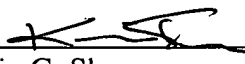
In view of the foregoing, Applicant respectfully submits the present application is now in condition for allowance. If the Examiner believes a telephone conference would expedite or assist in the allowance of the present application, the Examiner is invited to call the undersigned attorney at (408) 720-8300.

Please charge Deposit Account No. 02-2666 for any shortage of fees in connection with this response.

Respectfully submitted,

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